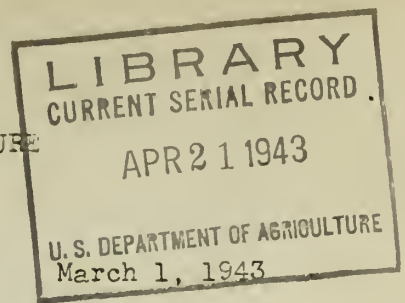


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DIRECTOR'S MEMORANDUM NO. 45

American-Canadian Standing Committee on Agricultural
and Food Production and Distribution

Under an agreement between Secretary Wickard and the Honorable J. G. Gardiner, Canadian Minister of Agriculture, an American-Canadian Standing Committee on Agricultural and Food Production and Distribution was established. The objective of the Committee is to keep agricultural and food production and distribution in Canada and the United States under continuing review in order to further such developments as may be desirable with respect to those phases of our wartime agricultural and food programs that are of concern to both countries.

The following persons were designated to serve as members of the Committee: The Directors of the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations, Food Distribution Administration, Food Production Administration, and the President of the Commodity Credit Corporation, with the Director of Foreign Agricultural Relations as Chairman of the American Section of the Committee.

Mr. S. R. Smith, Assistant Deputy Director, is hereby designated to serve as alternate in representing the Food Distribution Administration in the operations of this Committee.

Roy F. Hendrickson

Director

